

Amendments to the Claims

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1 1. (Currently Amended) An accessory locking device ~~for use in~~
2 ~~combination with a cable lock or padlock, having a lockable~~
3 ~~insertion end and an attachment end, said accessory locking device~~
4 comprising:

5 a conventional cable lock formed from a first flexible steel
6 cable having a first end forming a lockable insertion end and a
7 second end forming an attachment end, said lockable insertion end
8 having a transversely placed aperture receptive to the shank of a
9 padlock, said attachment end defining a loop formed by said first
10 flexible steel cable;

11 a locking member, said locking member defined as a thin steel
12 plate have a first side surface and a second side surface with an
13 aperture extending therethrough, said aperture including a slot
14 extending therefrom along a length of said steel plate ~~having an~~
15 ~~aperture and a slot depending therefrom,~~ said aperture sized to
16 receive said lockable insertion end of said cable lock;

17 an attachment cable formed from a second flexible steel cable
18 having ~~defined by~~ a proximal end permanently attached to said steel
19 plate and a distal end extending therefrom with a length of

flexible cable therebetween, said distal end of said second
flexible cable~~-fitting~~ sized for insertion through said aperture
and said flexible cable sized for placement within said slot;

and a padlock;

wherein said distal end of said attachment cable is wrapped
around an item to be locked and inserted into said aperture of said
locking member and transversed for placing said second flexible
cable in said slot leaving said aperture available for said
insertion end of said conventional cable lock, upon placement of
said insertion end of said conventional cable lock through said
aperture, said insertion end is then available for receipt of said
padlock thereby locking said item to whatever said attachment end
of said conventional cable lock is secured too.

2. (Currently Amended) The accessory locking device according to
Claim 1 wherein said ~~locking member is a substantially square steel~~
plate has four edges.

3. (Original) The accessory locking device according to Claim 1
wherein said locking member is a substantially rectangular steel
plate.

1 4. (Original) The accessory locking device according to Claim 1
2 wherein said slot is L-shaped .

3 5. (Currently Amended) The accessory locking device according to
4 Claim 1 wherein said ~~flexible~~ attachment cable has at least one
5 cable crimp located between said distal end and said proximal end,
6 said cable crimp sized to inhibit forward movement of said
7 attachment cable when said attachment cable is placed in said slot.

8 6. (Currently Amended) The accessory locking device according to
9 Claim 1 wherein said distal end ~~end member~~ of said flexible cable
10 is sized to inhibit passage through said aperture ~~permanently~~
11 ~~placed through said aperture and includes an enlarged end that~~
12 said end member operates as a handle for grasping the flexible
13 cable and positioning thereof..

14 7. (Currently Amended) An accessory locking device ~~for use in~~
15 ~~combination with a cable lock or padlock, having a lockable~~
16 ~~insertion end and an attachment end, said accessory locking device~~
17 comprising:

18 a conventional cable lock formed from a first flexible steel
19 cable having a first end forming a lockable insertion end and a
20 second end forming an attachment end, said lockable insertion end
21 having a transversely placed aperture receptive to the shank of a

1 padlock, said attachment end defining a loop formed by said first
2 flexible steel cable;

3 a locking member , said locking member defined as a thin steel
4 plate have a first side surface and a second side surface with an
5 aperture extending therethrough, said aperture including an L-
6 shaped slot extending therefrom along a length of said steel plate
7 ~~having an aperture and a slot depending therefrom,~~ said aperture
8 sized to receive said lockable insertion end of said cable lock;

9 an attachment cable formed from a flexible steel cable having
10 ~~defined by~~ a proximal end permanently attached to said steel plate
11 and a distal end extending therefrom with a length of flexible
12 cable therebetween, said distal end of said cable ~~fitting~~ sized for
13 insertion through said aperture and said flexible cable sized for
14 placement within said slot;

15 at least one swaged fitting located along the length of said
16 flexible cable;

17 and a padlock;

18 wherein said distal end of said attachment cable is wrapped
19 around an item to be locked and inserted into said aperture of said
20 locking member and transversed for placing said second flexible
21 cable in said slot wherein said swaged fitting engages a side
22 surface of said locking member leaving said aperture available for
23 said insertion end of said conventional cable lock, upon placement
24 of said insertion end of said conventional cable lock through said

1 aperture, said insertion end is then available for receipt of said
2 padlock thereby locking said item to whatever said attachment end
3 of said conventional cable lock is secured too.

4 8. (Currently Amended) The accessory locking device according to
5 Claim 7 wherein said ~~locking member is a substantially square steel~~
6 plate has four edges.

7 9. (Original) The accessory locking device according to Claim 7
8 wherein said locking member is a substantially rectangular steel
9 plate.

10 10. (Canceled)

11. (New) The accessory locking device according to Claim 1
wherein said attachment cable has at least two cable crimps located
between said distal end and said proximal end, said cable crimps
spaced apart and sized to inhibit forward and rearward movement of
said attachment cable when said attachment cable is placed in said
slot.

12. (New) The accessory locking device according to Claim 10
wherein said attachment cable has at least two cable crimps located
between said distal end and said proximal end, said cable crimps

spaced apart and sized to inhibit forward and rearward movement of said attachment cable when said attachment cable is placed in said slot.